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We are pitching right into high prices this fall, and ask you to call on us and examine the goods we describe as follows:

A beautiful new line of dress Tricot cloths, all wool, all colors, at 65 cents per yard.

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## Black Silks

We have ever displayed on our counters.

It has been a noticeable fact among the Ladies that our assortment of

BOURETTES,  
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Crepe de Italian, and our entire stock of dress goods, is the best ever shown in Brainerd, and our prices are as low, and in many cases lower, than city figures.

## Every Shade of SAXONY YARN

IN STOCK AT PRESENT.

Let us Whisper in Your Ear About OUR  
**PUSH CLOAKS.**  
THEY ARE CHEAP.

What we have told you in the above lines we can substantiate, and ask the public to call on us for prices.

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**COHEN BROS.**

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### Rev. Dr. Hawley was a Duluth visitor on Monday.

F. L. Mattson did St. Paul the first of the week.

Dan Morris Sullivan will be at the opera house next Wednesday evening.

An order was recently received at the shops to put air brakes onto 1,000 freight cars.

Next Thursday is Thanksgiving, and a social party will be held at the rink in the evening.

A saloon has been opened in the building on Front street next to Dettelbach's clothing store.

S. F. Alderman went to St. Cloud on Wednesday on business connected with county affairs.

Miss Blanche Ingersoll closed her second term of school in district No. 4, town of Oaklawn, on Friday.

The following Brainerdites were in Duluth on Monday: W. H. Cummings and wife, H. O. Shaner, John Milan.

Duluth now enjoys something of a potato famine. Seventy-five cents a bushel is the price of the Irish variety.

Our chief of police now appears in a fine new suit of clothes. Officer Shontell believes in keeping up appearances at any rate.

Dr. E. H. Stanley who has been detained in Popo, county for some days on professional business will be at home on Saturday.

H. M. Barron has been at Mille Lacs several days this week in company with a brother who is here on a visit from New York city.

Attend the opera house on Monday, evening and listen to as fine an elocutionist as there is in the west, and at the same time and a good cause.

A letter from Frank Rhodes, formerly of this city, but who has recently gone to Ohio, announces that he is now traveling on the road for a wholesale house.

Fur Coats and Robes, large stock, at Day & Meagher's.

Mrs. Dr. Paquin has been elected president of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, a branch organization being in running order in this city.

Frank Farnham has been in the city since Saturday visiting with his family. Mr. F. is engaged in the lumbering business at North La Crosse, Wis.

Wednesday night three tramps held up a man on the Mississippi river bridge and took his hat, shoes and \$5 in money from him. We were unable to learn his name.

The Villard hotel has an excellent night clerk in the person of R. M. Pratt, who is a hotel man of many years experience, and who understands the business thoroughly.

A very interesting communication from the county Auditor will be found in another column in regard to the county finances. It is a subject that all are interested in.

J. R. Howes was a Duluth visitor on Tuesday. The Brainerd flouring mill sell considerable products in that city, and Mr. Howes was looking after their interests there.

Some individual helped themselves to a quantity of wheat from a car standing on the track near the flouring mill Monday night. They were evidently after chicken feed.

Gen's silk and cashmere mufflers in great variety and at low prices at Day & Meagher's.

The Amateur Cooking Club gave its first dinner for the season of 1885-6 on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. A. V. Snyder is president and Mrs. R. A. Howard secretary of the society.

A. E. Veon has his jewelry store on Fifth street newly painted inside and out, and it presents a very cozy appearance. Mr. Veon is getting in an immense line of goods for the holidays.

George Leopold and brother Joe are doing Duluth this week visiting relatives. During their absence Joe Veon is explaining the good quality and low prices of clothing at Leopold's clothing store.

The B. of L. E. are already making arrangements for their annual ball which take place on New Year's evening. A most enjoyable occasion may be expected for the boys always exert themselves on an occasion of this kind.

It has been asserted that no notice of the sale of state lands, which took place the 6th inst, was given. For the benefit of parties interested, we wish to state that a notice was published in these columns for six successive weeks.

Blankets and Comforts, large stock at Day & Meagher's.

The Dispatch was in error last week in stating the game law in regard to the killing of deer. The law permits the killing of deer from Dec. 1st to the 15th, although the whole month is allowed for disposing of the game that may have been killed.

If you wish to profit thereby visit A. L. Hoffman at the corner of 5th and Front streets, and examine his list of unredeemed pledges. Gold and silver watches, jewelry of all kinds, chains, charms, etc., and all to be sold at one-third their value.

John Bradford, night ticket agent at the depot, had the misfortune to meet with quite a serious accident on Saturday morning last. He attempted to get off a moving train and in so doing was thrown against a switch in the yard and quite badly bruised. He was taken to the sanitarium, and we understand is able to be about again.

The passenger train from the west on Tuesday morning slaughtered a deer just this side of Moley. The animal walked into the track and stood watching the headlights when it was struck. An engine is a very effective weapon with which to kill deer.

The Fergus Falls Journal thinks that the grant to the exclusive right to lay lines of street railway track and operate the said lines for the term of fifty years, in the city of Brainerd, and which was given to the Hon. C. F. Kindred and such other persons as may become associated with him, is worth at least a million of dollars. A very nice little gift if it pans out that rich.

Day & Meagher now have one of the largest carpet rooms in the state, but none too large for their immense trade in this line. Call and inspect their large stock before buying.

PURE old Kentucky whiskeys and wines imported and bottled by bottle or measure at the Kentucky Liquor Co., next door south of post-office. Orders mail from city and country solicited delivered.

Buy your cigars and tobacco at Smiths

### Dan Morris Sullivan.

This combination will appear at the opera house next Wednesday evening, Nov. 25th, and it is a first-class troupe in every particular. Read the following press notices:

Dan Morris Sullivan Company at the Fourth Street opera house, under the management of the enthusiastic and talented Dan and Josie Morris Sullivan, with their comedy company, appeared to a large house at Dan's last evening, and gave a splendid entertainment—Daily Nonpareil, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Mr. Dan Morris Sullivan and Josie are both comedians and artists of extraordinary quality, and their performances kept the audience in a continual roar of laughter.

Dan Morris Sullivan's impersonation of famous Irish characters is wonderful, and his jokes and songs are superior to the best ever witnessed.

**Freeze Out.**  
Editor Brower of the Sauk Centre Tribune went up to Brainerd "the city of the past" the other day, and while there he visited one of the newspaper offices, but the editor froze him out. Now if Editor Brower or any other editor will visit Fergus Falls, which is a city of the present and the future, he won't be frozen out as long as the wood laths—Fergus Journal.

At a recent meeting of the Brainerd Improvement club, the subject of the "freeze out" got out that Bro. Halstead plays freeze-out, although we understand he does sometimes take a hand at whist. In Bro. Brower's letter in another column the method of the freeze out game is explained.

**An Egg Story.**  
On Monday morning last we overheard a prominent real estate owner of Brainerd, or of the Pine City rather, make a proposition to a farmer that should take a professional Brainerd journal, and, but more especially the real estate men. The proposition was to trade three valuable lots for eggs, the same to be delivered during the next two years. We don't know that the trade is a good one, but fear the strain on the laying propensities of the hens will be more than they can stand—Wadena Tribune.

Bro. Love, that is a very good trade, at least we consider it so, if the man who traded the lots got eggs enough.

**What Has He Done.**  
Wednesday night Chief Shontell received a telegram from Aitkin which read as follows:

"Arrest D. C. Upham on passenger train to-night. Has black mustache, and wears a light overcoat trimmed on collar and cuffs with fur." Answer.

The officer arrested the man and Sheriff Marham arrived and took him to Aitkin on the morning train. It is not known what he is wanted for, only that he had skipped out with the keys to the jail.

J. L. Knox's store, for whom he was employed as bookkeeper, and they were unable to get into it.

**They Pay More for Wheat**  
S. H. R. writes from Brainerd to the editor of Farm Stock and Home: Mr. J. A. Davis formerly of Minneapolis, has bought a half interest in the Roller Flour Mill here, and the new firm are buying all the wheat in this and adjoining counties and are paying from four to six cents a hundred more for it than the wheat buyers. Our farmers are correspondingly well pleased, and they all propose to put in more acreage in wheat next year. Crow Wing county gets a beautiful engraved silver medal for her second premium at the state fair.

John O'Toole is a moulder and has been at work for Parker & Topping at the N. P. foundry. John is addicted to the flowing bowl and at such times he is abusive to his family, at least the appearance of his wife would indicate as much as she appeared before the police court on Monday morning. On Saturday John got on a bender and went home and proceeded to smash things up and beating his wife; later the police interfered and O'Toole was locked up. Before the police court on Monday Judge Douglas fined him \$20 and he was also required to give bonds to keep the peace, the latter he was unable to do and he now languishes behind the bars.

Mrs. O'Toole stated to the court that he had for some years acted in this manner and that she had expended \$2,000 of her parents' money in trying to keep things up, and as for the father of her five children he spent his wages in liquor and the family would have starved had it not been for her. It is said O'Toole has an unsavory reputation at Kingston, Canada, where the family formerly resided.

**Early Days in Brainerd.**  
The other evening a party of gentlemen were seated around the fire place in the lobby of the Villard, and the sheriff of Crow Wing county was regaling them with stories of the early days of Brainerd. A stranger present made inquiry as to whether the Indians, who according to the sheriff's tell were as the sands of the sea, were peaceable or not.

"Well, I should say not," said the sheriff. "Why, do you know, that one day some ten years ago, Cap. Sleeper, old Dly, Frank and Gill Hunter and myself went out here about three miles to a lake fishing, and we run right into a camp of over five hundred Sioux. We knew we were in for it, and we would not doubt have been scalped if it had not been that Frank was acquainted with one of the chief's wives, and she interceded for us and undoubtedly saved our lives. But the red devils wouldn't be satisfied to let us go peaceably; so they went to work and tramped up a hill, straight, standing and smiling, and after having two sides of it down, they bent the top over so that it made a powerful spring pole. Taking Cap. Sleeper first, they laid him out on this spring lengthwise, cut the fastening and let him go. Well, he was out of sight in no time. You can have no idea what force there was in that pole. They took old Dly and sent him off in the same way; then Frank and Gill in rotation. I was the last to go; and from the time Gill was sent up until I came down here on a lumber train, right in front of me, an old fellow, I remembered nothing, but finding that I was not hurt, I picked myself up and went into French's, and I found Sleeper, Frank and Dly playing seven-up for the drinks. Yes, I took a hand, and we had a great time, too, congratulating each other on our narrow escape. Gill? Yes, I forgot to say that he had that morning bought a new pocket knife, and when he landed down here on the river bank he thought of that knife and went away back to French's and got the Indian who had taken it from him before sending him skyward, and he didn't get back till long after dark. Yes, the Indians were quite troublesome in those days, stranger."

**Overcoats! Overcoats! Overcoats!**  
Moving, Melting, Disappearing. The price does it. That men's \$2 wool coat is partly for the price for it. If you wish to be in the finish, hasten to Day & Meagher's.

**MARRIED.**  
MURRAY—RUSSELL.—At the Catholic Church, in this city, on Nov. 17, 1885, Miss Alice C. Russell to Mr. B. Murray, both of Gull River.

May their life be one of blissful happiness and success is the best wishes of their friends.

Charles Huxford came up from Brainerd Sunday to spend a few days with his old parents—Vernald Journal.

Mr. Dowell, formerly proprietor of the Headquarters Hotel, in Brainerd, is stopping for the present at the Palace Hotel, in this city.—Little Falls Sun.

### Commissioner's Proceedings.

**Brainerd, Minn., Nov. 17th, 1885.**  
Pursuant to adjournment the board of county commissioners met on above date. Meeting was called to order at 10:30 a. m. Full board present.

Minutes of meeting held Oct. 6th, were read and approved.

The following bills were allowed:

F. A. King, bill for four tons of coal furnished court house, \$32.60

E. O. Webb, stationery, etc., furnished district court, 6.60

A. W. Frater, fees entering tax judgments and issuing executions, 24.30

A. W. Frater, clerk of courts fees, 18.70

S. S. Gardner, groceries, etc., furnished paupers, 29.76

Kate Closterman, meals furnished jurors, Oct. 1885, 19.50

F. M. Cable & Co., stationery, etc., for county offices, 18.25

P. Mertz, serving warrants, etc., 3.70

P. Mertz, boarding prisoners and jailer's fees, Oct. 1885, 93.80

P. Mertz, bringing prisoners into court for examination, September term, 9.40

P. Mertz, serving subpoenas etc., 71.80

P. Mertz, serving special venire jurors and returning 20 citations, etc., 32.40

P. Mertz, serving warrants, etc., 2.85

P. Mertz, summoning grand and petit jurors, 45.70

J. K. McLeod, serving warrants on two men, 90

Henry Buckhardt, serving citations vs. Seelye & Buck, 4.50

Loosey & Dean, burial Charlie Burcher, pauper, 11.75

F. A. B. King & Co., warrants, mileage, municipal court, 2.20

Anne Larson, witness fees and mileage, municipal court, 2.20

Brainerd Dispatch, printing commissioners proceedings and blanks for sheriff, 16.00

L. G. Rose, justice fees in case State vs. Bellis & Dodge, 5.10

D. H. Munson, witness fees for municipal court, 1.12

John Derosa, constable's fees etc in case state vs. Bellis & Dodge amount \$4000, allowed, 15.70

William Harmon, witness fees and mileage municipal court, 4.95

James Gardner, services examining jurors, done on Brainerd and Mille Lacs county road, 10.20

A. P. Farrar, services examining work done on Brainerd and Mille Lacs county road, 10.20

J. M. Martin, services examining work done on Brainerd and Mille Lacs county road, 7.40

J. L. Camp, coroner's examination of C. Zimmerman, 7.50

S. F. Alderman, expressage and postage, July, Aug. and Sept. Bills disallowed, 6.10

George Banc, board and care of paupers, 12.00

Frank Wesley, board and care of paupers, 28.00

Bills laid over:

C. E. Smith, services as judge of election, 2d ward, 18.00

F. M. Cable & Co., medicines, etc., furnished prisoners, 5.40

Theo. Weiland, serving tax citations, 5.40

R. H. Morford, justice fees in case of State vs. Wm. Hendricks, 3.60

Red Reichter, serving tax citations, 1.20

Adjusted to 2 o'clock p. m. Meeting called to order at 2 o'clock. Commissioners Martin and Farrar present.



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The Constitution of Ohio adopted in 1851 provided for biennial sessions. The holding of annual sessions is unconstitutional, but the members who the "devil around the stump" by adjourning from one year to another, thus making one long session.

Kaiser Wilhelm is not only the oldest officer in the German army in point of age, but in point of service as well. His commission as Major-General bears date of March 30, 1818, and he joined the army as an ensign March 22, 1807. The old soldier is very old and badly growing more feeble. He will soon be mustered out by death.

Louis M. Idings, a young and well known journalist of Ohio, a millionaire, married the daughter of Josiah Belding, formerly of California—and all the papers are extending to him envious congratulations—but it is a strange thing that the lady is not congratulated upon her good luck in capturing a bright journalist, an exploit that might well satisfy the ambition of any lady in the land.

The "granger" railroads, so called, from the fact that they run through states which produce a vast amount of grain, report a very large increase of freight in October. The Milwaukee and St. Paul increase is \$352,250; Northwestern \$369,500; Omaha \$35,000; Chicago and Alton \$143,503. The tonnage of wheat is decidedly below the average, but this is more than compensated by the large increase in corn and provisions.

A writer in an eastern paper says he had got a little hardened to the atrocity of "funeral obsequies," especially since some literary light or other recently defended the use of the phrase; but he was totally unprepared for "wedding nuptials," and uttered a feeble protest against too much of the use of such good as matrimony even. He felt that the line must be drawn somewhere on tautological excesses in the public press.

Bridal couples in great numbers have recently arrived in Washington, and it has been observed that with those from Kentucky and Virginia the ages of the bridegrooms averaged forty to forty-five, while the brides counted about twenty-five summers only. The explanation of this interesting fact appears to be that after the war the young fellows in the South were unable to double up, and now that they are brighter political prospects ahead they are making a venture, although not quite so young as they used to be.

Russia has decided to construct as speedily as possible four more steel cruisers for the Baltic and three ships for the Black Sea fleet. Work will begin as soon as three enormous ironclads, each of 10,000 tons, are launched from the dockyards of Sebastopol. Russia has an abundance of iron and coal, and seems determined to have a navy that will correspond with her great armies. Russian sailors are among the hardest and best in the world and there is no reason why they should not handle great ships and great guns as effectively as any.

An eminent authority on the statistics of gold and silver places the value of the gold product of the world in 1884 at \$93,000,000, and that of silver at \$120,000,000. The value of the gold production is 2 per cent. less than that for 1883, 9 per cent. less than that for 1882, and 13 per cent. less than that for 1881. Between 1851 and 1860 the annual yield was \$134,000,000, or 30 per cent. more than that for the past year, and in the succeeding decade, 1861-1870, it was 25 per cent. greater. Thus has the production decreased, not only since the golden period of 1850, but year by year since 1880.

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